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NOTICE OF DRINKING WATER
TOTAL TRIHALOMETHANES VIOLATION
RRA - Lake Arrowhead Water System, ID No. 0390021
Fourth Quarter 2018

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has notified the Authority's Lake Arrowhead Water System that the drinking water supplied by the system has exceeded the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for TOTAL TRIHALOMETHANES (TTHM's) as set in the Commission's Drinking Water Standards.

The MCL for TTHM's is 0.080 milligrams per liter (mg/L). Compliance with these levels is based on a locational running annual average of quarterly sample results. Lake Arrowhead Water System's compliance values for TTHM's in the fourth quarter of 2018 for DBP2-02 was 0.139 mg/L and for DBP2-01 was 0.125 mg/L.

This is not an emergency. However, some people who drink water containing trihalomethanes in excess of the MCL over many years may experience problems with their liver, kidney, or central nervous systems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

You do not need to use an alternative water supply. However, if you have health concerns, you may want to talk to your doctor to get more information about how this may affect you.

The Authority is currently working with an engineer to determine how to bring the system in compliance with these MCLs. The Authority will continue to send letters out until the running annual average is below the required MCL.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

For further information, please contact Mr. Ronald A. Mullins, Utility Supervisor, for the Red River Authority of Texas, at (940) 723-8697. You may also contact your District Manager, Mr. Jeffery Warren, at (940) 528-2252.

Sincerely,

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